



Wolf Cub Jungle Opening and Closing Ceremony

Bring the jungle to your pack

Adapted by Scouter Liam Morland, 1996

Jungle Opening

Cubs are in their lairs. Inspection has just finished.

Akela

Look well, O wolves, look well.

Cubs

Howl like wolves.

Baloo

Now this is the Law of the Jungle,
As old and as true as the sky:

Cubs

The Cub respects the Old Wolf;
The Cub respects themselves!

Not skipping a beat, the Cubs walk in a line behind their Sixer from their lair to their place in the circle.

Cubs

We are the *colour* six!
We are the *colour* six!
We are the *colour* six!

Akela

As the dawn was breaking the Wolf Pack yelled...

Cubs

...Once, twice, and again!

Akela

Feet in the jungle that leave no mark.

Cubs, softly

No-Mark!

Akela

Eyes that can see in the dark.

Cubs, softly

The-dark.

Akela

Tongue, give tongue to it! Hark, O Hark!

The Cubs hold their hands out in front of them ready to do the Grand Howl. The Sixer in charge waits until all the Cubs are ready, then all the Cubs drop to the Grand Howl position.

Cubs, loud

A-ke-la we'll do our best!

The Cubs jump up and put their wolf ears on.

Sixer, loud

DYB, DYB, DYB, DYB!

Hands drop to a salute. Akela returns salute.

Cubs, loud

We'll DOB, DOB, DOB, DOB!

Jungle Closing

Akela

Pack, Pack, Pack.

Cubs, as they gather in the Parade Circle

Paaaaack!

Any presentations, etc. are done now.

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Akela

The Wolf Cub Promise.

Everyone makes the Cub sign.

Cubs

I Promise to do my Best,
To do my Duty to God and the Queen,
To keep the Law of the Wolf Cub pack,
And to do a good turn to somebody every day.

Akela

Wood and Water, Wind and Tree,
Wisdom, Strength, and Courtesy,
Jungle Favour go with thee!
Good night, Cubs!

Cubs

Good night, Akela!

Cubs leave circling clockwise around the circle shaking hands with each Scouter as they pass by.

Scouter's Five

A Scouter's Five can follow the promise, if desired:

Akela

The Jungle it is large,
and the Cub is small.
Let us think and be still.

A Scouter's Five, which can be said by any Scouter.